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2 bravery and courage.

3 *Whereas, Twelve-year-old Tony Buuck rushed to the aid of*
4 *his eight-year-old sister, Sammy, when she fell through the*
5 *ice on a frozen pond behind their house;*

6 *Whereas, Although she knew how to swim, Sammy was*
7 *wearing snow pants and was struggling to stay above the*
8 *nine-foot deep water of the pond;*

9 *Whereas, Without concern for his own safety, Tony ran to*
10 *the pond to try to pull his sister out of the freezing water but*
11 *fell into the water himself;*

12 *Whereas, Tony held onto his sister and treaded water with*
13 *one hand until their father reached the pond;*

14 *Whereas, In the rush to reach Tony and Sammy, Dale*
15 *Buuck ended up in the water as well;*

16 *Whereas, Mr. Buuck was able to break a path through the*
17 *ice and, with his last ounce of strength, was able to make it*
18 *to the shore;*

19 *Whereas, Just when Mr. Buuck thought he might not have*
20 *the strength to return to save his daughter, he realized what*
21 *his courageous son had been able to do;*

22 *Whereas, With all the strength he could muster, Tony had*



1 *been able to hold on to his sister while his father dragged*
 2 *him to shore;*

3 *Whereas, Sammy was unconscious and not breathing when*
 4 *she was pulled out of the water;*

5 *Whereas, As Dale Buuck stood with his daughter, Tony ran*
 6 *to call 911;*

7 *Whereas, The 911 dispatcher relayed instructions to Tony,*
 8 *who shouted them to his father, who administered CPR;*

9 *Whereas, Through his decisive actions, Tony Buuck saved*
 10 *the life of his eight-year-old sister; and*

11 *Whereas, Acts of heroism such as this deserve special*
 12 *recognition: Therefore,*

13 *Be it resolved by the Senate*
 14 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,*
 15 *the House of Representatives concurring:*

16 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes the
 17 bravery of Tony Buuck in rescuing his sister from an ice-covered pond
 18 without regard for his own safety. Tony Buuck is a true Hoosier hero.

19 SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution be transmitted by the
 20 Secretary of the Senate to Tony Buuck and his family.

